

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace Paragraph [0031] with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

**[0031]** With reference to Figures 9 and 10, the locking element 32 can be seen in its locked orientation (Figure 9) and in its unlocked orientation (Figure 10). In its locked orientation, notch 62 receives the projection 50. In the unlocked position of Figure 10, notch 60 receives the projection 50. To place the clamp assembly 12 onto the handle portion 24 of the tool 10, the user opens the locking element 32 into the position shown in phantom in Figure 2, opens the second portion 36 of the main housing 28 as shown in Figure 5, and places the main housing 28 over the handle portion 24 so that the main housing 28 is aligned with a longitudinal axis of the handle portion 24. The user then moves portions 34 and 36 towards each other until flanges 40 and 42 are closely adjacent one another or almost in abutting relationship, as shown in Figure 4. The user then slides the locking element 32 forwardly over the flanges 40 and 42 into the position shown in Figures 1 and 3. Stops 40a and 42a shown in Figures 1, 3, 6, 9 and 10 stop forward movement of the locking element 32 just as the second notch 62 engages with the projection 50. In this position the handle assembly [[2]] 12 is securely clamped to the handle portion 24 of the tool and the cleaning tool 10 can be manipulated easily by the user using one or both hands to grasp the elongated handle member 31 and maneuver the cleaning tool 10.